

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of:

Jeffrey L. Rice, et al.

Group Art Unit: 1771

Serial No.: 10/065,639

Examiner: Cheryl Ann Juska

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For: RECYCLABLE, RUBBER-LIKE THERMOPLASTIC BACKING
MATERIAL USED IN A THROW-IN MAT FOR A VEHICLE FLOOR

Attorney Docket No.: 3707 (LC 0101 PUS)

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being sent via facsimile to: Attn: Examiner Cheryl Ann Juska, Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 fax number (703) 872-9310 on:

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Madam:

This paper responds to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment in the above-entitled application, mailed September 15, 2003. This response is timely because it is being filed within the one-month time period set for a response.

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